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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 4, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Support for the Amendments begins on page 5 of this paper.

Request for Reconsideration begins on page 5 of this paper.